

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	]	Examiner:	Manuel A. Mendez
Douglas E. Ott, et al.	]		
	]	Group Art Unit:	3763
Serial No.: 09/314,052	]		
Filing Date: May 18, 1999	]	Confirmation No.	4618
	]		
Title: METHOD AND APPARATUS	]	Attorney Docket No.	1-15372
FOR CONDITIONING GAS	]		
FOR MEDICAL PROCEDURES	]		

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MAIL STOP AMENDMENT  
Commissioner of Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT (37 CFR § 1.121)

Honorable Sir:

Applicant, in response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated December 31, 2008, hereby submits a new "claims" section of the amendment filed November 21, 2008 listing claims 1-81. Submission of only the "claims" section is proper, as Box 4 of the notice was checked.

A copy of the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment is attached hereto.